

**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	000309-00259
First Inventor or Application Identifier	Jay Miazga, et al.
Title	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING THE DEPTH OF PERCUTANEOUS APPLICATIONS

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27
3. Specification Total Pages 48
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets 29
5. Oath or Declaration Total Pages 2
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
 - i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (*Appendix*)
7. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all necessary*)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification or Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. Paper
 - c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.:

Prior application information: Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered a part of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

19. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application is a Continuation Division Continuation-in-part (CIP)
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This application claims priority of provisional application Serial No. 60/433,823 Filed December 16, 2002

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